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**Re:** In connection with the prosecution in Serial. No.  
10/016,562, please find enclosed a response to  
the Office Action mailed June 30, 2004.**CC:**

Sincerely,

David Bonham

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Serial No. 10/016,562

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Chang-Lin Hsieh et al.  
Serial No.: 10/016,562  
Filed: 12/12/2001  
Title: Process for Selectively Etching Dielectric Layers  
Art Unit: 1765  
Examiner: Deo, Duy Vu Nguyen  
Docket No.: 004544/ALRT/ETCH/DICP

VIA FACSIMILE 703-872-9310  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.36(a) AND AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition the Assistant Commissioner to grant a two (2) month extension of time, up to and including Tuesday, November 30, 2004, in which to respond to the Office Action dated June 30, 2004 in the above-identified application. The extension fee in the amount of \$430.00 may be charged to deposit account No. 50-1047. In addition, any deficiencies may be charged to deposit account No. 50-1047.

In response to the Office Action dated June 30, 2004, the period therefore having been extended by a Petition therefore and payment of the extension fee, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows: